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In re Patent Application of:

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For: MAGNETIC TUNNEL EFFECT TYPE  
MAGNETIC HEAD, AND METHOD  
OF PRODUCING THE SAME

) Group Art Unit: 2653

) Examiner: Christopher R. Magee

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**RESPONSE TO APRIL 8, 2004 OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed April 8, 2004.

Applicants respectfully request amendment of the patent application, and reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims.